



**The Los Angeles County
Board of Supervisors and
the Commission for Women**



Welcome you to the

2012-13 Scholarship Orientation & Luncheon Program

**June 18, 2013
8:30 a.m.**

**Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration
500 West Temple Street
Los Angeles, CA 90012**

CONGRATULATIONS!



"Every great dream begins with a dreamer. Always remember, you have within you the strength, the patience, and the passion to reach for the stars to change the world."

..... Harriet Tubman

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County Mission

To enrich lives through effective and caring service

Strategic Plan Goals

1. Operational Effectiveness
2. Children, Family and Adult Well-Being
3. Community and Municipal Services
4. Health and Mental Health
5. Public Safety

Los Angeles County Commission for Women
500 West Temple Street, Room B-50
Los Angeles, CA 90012
(213) 974-1455
www.laccw.info

8:30 a.m. Registration Meet and Greet
Room 743

9:30 a.m. Board of Supervisors Scholarship
Presentation
Board Room 381-B

11:00 a.m. Reception at Room 743
Welcome and Introductions

Veda E. Ward, Ph.D.
President
Los Angeles County Commission for Women

11:15 a.m. Networking with Other Women,
Glass Ceiling and Immigration

Alice Petrossian
Commissioner and Chair, Education Committee
Los Angeles County Commission for Women

11:30 a.m. Reach for the Sky

Gerda Govine, Ed.D.
Commissioner
Los Angeles County Commission for Women

11:45 a.m. Scholarship Program Testimony

Talitha James, 2007 Scholarship Recipient

◆ 12:15 p.m. Lunch

◆ 12:25 p.m. What Does it Mean to You to be
Recognized for Your Determination to
Succeed by the Los Angeles County
Commission for Women?

Scholarship Recipients

First District

Maria Cubillo
Cristina Romero

Second District

Jazmine Brooks
Raven Jackson

Third District

Veronica Duran
Desiree Generalao

Fourth District

Cherlé Brown
Gina Luiz

Fifth District

Sarah Herring
Judeana Velasquez

◆ 12:35 p.m. A Review of the Scholarship Programs
& Requirements for Accessing
Scholarship Funds

Emma De Jesus
Executive Office of the Board of Supervisors

◆ 12:45 p.m. Group Photo of Commissioners
and Scholarship Honorees

◆ **Special Thanks**

Members of the AD-Hoc
Women of the Year Luncheon Committee

Members of the AD-Hoc Education Committee

Scholarship Reviewers

Martha E. Escandon
Veronica Carranza
Lillian Conroe

Generous Supporters

Kaiser Permanente
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Southern California Gas Company

Commission Staff

Emma De Jesus
Audra Galang
Roy Sinclair

◆ 1:00 p.m. Closing Remarks

Veda E. Ward, Ph.D.
President